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AND MARY GRAHAM
LOCKHART

James William Boyden, the first son and fourth child, was born to James and Mary

BEAUTIFUL UPON THE MOUNTAINS



Meridith Bowler Boyden, September 26, 1882 at Provo, Utah. He married Mary Graham Lockhart in the Salt Lake Temple October 8, 1902. Mary was born January 7, 1883 at Salt Lake City, a daughter of Daniel Lockhart of Motherwell, Lanarkshire, Scotland and Jennette Innis Graham of Almy, Wyoming. Mary died March 20, 1961 and is buried in Provo.

James grew up on a farm in Provo. He had to quit school in the eighth grade to help support his mother and family while his father returned to England on a mission for the Church. James worked in Church performing his duties well.

After his marriage he quit working for the Roylance Packing Co. and moved his family in a White Fox Surrey to Wallsburg.

A baby boy, Alden James, was born to them on September 6, 1903. In 1904 William left for the Northwestern States Mission, leaving his wife and baby at home, arriving back home in 1906.

They purchased the John McFee farm in the lower part of Wallsburg, the farm next to his father's.

James worked in the Wallsburg ward as recreation chairman, Missionary Committee chairman, president of the Elders' Quorum, counselor to the superintendent of the Sunday School, superintendent of the Sunday School. In July 1933, he was ordained bishop of the Wallsburg ward. He was instrumental in getting electric lights in Wallsburg. He also helped with the new chapel and worked on improving the road.

Mary worked in the presidency of the primary, as a class leader, Relief Society block teacher, secretary, counselor and president of the Relief Society. She was a nurse for the sick. There in Wallsburg they buried their oldest son who had been ill for four or five years.

In 1925 Mary and the children moved to

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Provo into their home there so the children could attend school, leaving Mr. Boyden to run the farm. They continued going down in the fall and back in the spring till 1928 when they moved back where Nola, Bill and Jack went to school at the Wasatch High.

In July 1944, Mr. Boyden turned the farm over to his son Bill and his family to run and he and Mary moved back to Provo. He worked at the Provo cannery till it closed down. James, Mary and Bill purchased the Boyden Boat Camp in the 1940's. They sold their farm to Reed Ercanbrack in February 1960.

In 1950 James was called and ordained to be a patriarch and was called to work a year at the Salt Lake Temple. He worked for three years, instead.

Their children are: James Alden, Doren Daniel, Fay, Murran, Nola Meridith, William (Bill), Glenn Lee (Jack) and Jane.

DAVID A. BROADBENT, prominent Utah educator, president of the Wasatch Stake, is a resident of Heber City.

Mr. Broadbent is a native of Utah, born at Goshen in Utah County, May 14, 1871, son of Thomas and Mary Jane (Nuttall) Broadbent. His parents were born and reared in Lancastershire, England, where they became early converts to the faith of the Church of Latter Day Saints. Thomas Broadbent was a pioneer of the Sanpete Valley, but with other settlers was driven out by Indians. In 1866 he settled in the Goshen district of Utah County,

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chosen principal of the public schools of Heber City. His next important honor and responsibility in educational affairs was his election in 1910 as county superintendent of schools for Wasatch County. He served in that office thirteen years, and since 1923 he has been principal of the Latter Day Saints Seminary at Heber City. His work and influence as an educator in local schools have been broadened to a larger service over the state, particularly through his activity with J. Preston Creer and A. C. Nelson, the latter being state superintendent of public instruction, in the movement for the consolidation of the schools as a means of bringing the advantages of standardized school efficiency to the children of communities which could not otherwise support first class schools. Mr. Broadbent for one term was president of the Superintendents Division of the Utah Educational Association and for one term was a member of the State Textbook Commission.

Since early youth he has filled a succession of responsibilities in his church. He was chosen and sustained as president of the Wasatch Stake March 11, 1928. For three years he was president of the Young Men's Mutual Improvement Association, for one year was Sunday School superintendent for the Charleston Ward, for three years a member of the superintendency of the Sunday Schools in Wasatch Stake, for twelve years a counselor to the bishop of the Second Ward of Heber. He was also stake clerk for two years, second counselor to the stake president three years and first counselor for six years.

Mr. Broadbent has important business interests, he and one of his brothers being active in the sheep industry in Wyoming and he also owns farming land and live stock in his home district. He is a past president of the Heber Chamber of Commerce. He gave his active support to the movement resulting in the location of the Woods-Cross Canning Company at Heber City.

In the Latter Day Saints Temple at Manti, May 1, 1901, Mr. Broadbent married Miss Mima M. Murdock, daughter of Joseph R. and Margaret (Wright) Murdock, of Charleston, Wasatch County. Mrs. Broadbent is a zealous church worker, having been president of the ward and stake relief societies for a quarter of a century. Of their children the oldest is Joseph Grant. He is a Bachelor of Arts graduate of Brigham Young University, filled a church mission in Texas, and is now in charge of the live stock interests in Wyoming. Vida is the wife of Leland P. Wentz and they reside at Chicago. Naomi, who graduated with the Master of Arts degree

from the Northwestern School of Speech at Chicago, is a high school teacher of dramatic art. Leah served on a mission in Minnesota and is now a teacher in the public schools. Margaret, a Bachelor of Arts graduate of Brigham Young University, where she was also assistant registrar and secretary to Dean Merrill, is a teacher in the business department of the Moroni High School. Dee Albert has completed two years of work in the Brigham Young University and is on a church mission in California. The names of the other and younger children of Mr. and Mrs. Broadbent are: Mary, a freshman in Brigham Young University; Mima, Emer E., Harvey, Clara (deceased), Sarah M., Helen, and Zina (deceased).

Thomas Griffith Clegg was born at Springville, Utah, 13 Sept. 1858, a son of Henry and Margaret Ann Griffith Clegg. He married Rachel Ann Sessions 2 Dec. 1880, in the Salt Lake Endowment House, Daniel H. Wells performing the ceremony. They had nine children.

He died January 2, 1929, and was buried in Heber Cemetery.

His picture is with Center Bishops.

He and his parents moved to Heber City, Utah, in 1872. He worked at many occupations, such as quarrying sandstone, of which many buildings, including the Stake Center, are built. He worked in the Clegg Shingle Mill east of Heber. He sang at various functions and played for dances on such instruments as the cornet and dulcimer. He and his brother Herbert built the dulcimer themselves. He also played the drum in the Heber Martial band.

Thomas Griffith Clegg was baptized by Thomas Giles in Springville, Utah, September, 1886. After moving to Heber he was ordained an Elder on November 5, 1880; a Seventy, Feb. 15, 1885; a High Priest, and also set apart as second counselor to Bishop Alonzo A. Brim by Apostle Francis M. Lyman, Nov. 12, 1898. He was set apart by Apostle Lyman to preside as bishop of Center Ward, February 13, 1900, succeeding Bishop Brimm. He served in this capacity for four years. Prior to this time he served in many Church offices, a ward teacher for 12 years, president of the YMMIA for nine years; also as superintendent of Sunday Schools and choir leader.

He and his family moved to Taylor, Idaho, in 1903, where he was an ardent worker in the Church and became bishop of that ward. The family moved many times in the remaining years. They lived in Tilden, and several farms near and in Blackfoot. They moved to Salt Lake City, Utah, in 1914. They later moved to Taylorsville, Utah, then to Orem, where he owned a fruit farm and worked as field representative for Pleasant Grove Cannery. Then they moved to Provo, Utah, where he worked for Provo city until he died.

Frank Hardy

Obituaries

Midway, Wasatch County. Joseph Vern Wardell 82, died Tuesday, June 17, 1986 in a Heber City hospital. Born August 9, 1903 in Peoa, Summit County to Joseph Smith and Fannie Ann Smith Wardell. Married Lillie Ilene Fillmore May 16, 1927. Marriage later solemnized in the Salt Lake LDS Temple. Active High Priest in the Midway 2nd Ward. Has served as 1st counselor in the Rockport Ward bishopric, Sunday school superintendent and scout master. Supervised Midway LDS storehouse and canneries. Served as Midway Justice of Peace and caretaker of Midway cemetery.

Survived by wife of Midway: children: Leo Vern Wardell - Reliance, Wyoming; Don F. Wardell, Salt Lake City; Mrs. Dee (Betty) Jacobson, Spanish Fork; Mrs. Myrl Christensen, Sandy; and Mrs. Val (Susan) Warnick and grandson he raised William Vern Wardell both of Midway. Sixteen grandchildren, 13 great grandchildren. Preceded in death by three brothers: Owen Douglas Wardell, William Smith Wardell and Edward Welsh.

Funeral services Friday 11:00 a.m. at the Midway Stake Center, 200 So. 250 East, Midway. Friends may call at Olpin Mortuary, Heber City.



Vern Wardell

Thursday 7-9 p.m. and at the church Friday one hour prior to services. Burial Midway Cemetery.